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SUBJ: MEIR KNESSET ADDRESS MAY 30

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1. FOLLOWING ARE HIGHLIGHTS OF PRIME MINISTER MEIR'S SPEECH
MAY 30 TO KNESSET ON SYRIAN-ISRAELI DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT.

2. AFTER TRACING DIFFICULTIES EARLIER THIS YEAR IN GETTING SYRIAN
DISENGAGEMENT TALKS UNDERWAY, MRS MEIR SUMMARIZED AGREEMENT
(TEXT HAD ALREADY BEEN DISTRIBUTED TO KNESSET), SAYING INTER ALIA
KUNEITRA WOULD BE LOCATED INSIDE UN AREA OF SEPARATION, WITH
INHABITANTS AND SYRIAN CIVIL ADMINISTRATION RETURNING. SHE SAID
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MILITARY LINE FOR MOST PART WOULD BE IDENTICAL TO PRE-OCTOBER

LINE AND WOULD ENSURE ISRAEL'S HOLD ON GOLAN HEIGHTS AND SAFEGUARD
"THE SECURITY OF ALL OUR SETTLEMENTS ON THE GOLAN HEIGHTS AND
THEIR CONTINUED STRENGTHENING, CONSOLIDATION, AND DEVELOPMENT."
SHE STRESSED VALUE OF EARLY POW EXCHANGE UNDER AGREEMENT.

3. MRS MEIR DESCRIBED PURPOSE OF FEDAYEEN TERRORISM AS
POLITICAL: TO DISRUPT ANY PROGRESS TOWARD MIDDLE EAST SETTLEMENT;
ADDED ISRAEL ATTACHES SUPREME IMPORTANCE TO
"ABSOLUTE CESSATION OF RAIDS AND PENETRATIONS FROM SYRIAN
TERRITORY," AND WARNED THAT TERRORIST ACTIVITY COULD LEAD TO
DANGEROUS ESCALATION.

4. MRS MEIR CONTINUED SYRIA WOULD MAKE "GREAT GAIN" IN
GETTING BACK ENCLAVE ISRAEL TOOK IN OCTOBER AND THIS SHOWED
ISRAEL'S DESIRE FOR PEACE. SHE SAID SCRUPULOUS OBSERVANCE OF
AGREEMENT COULD CREATE POSITIVE CHANGE OF GREAT VALUE IN ISRAELI-
SYRIAN RELATIONS.

5. MRS MEIR SAID SYRIAN AGREEMENT WAS JUSTIFIED ALONE FROM
FACT IT WOULD STRENGTHEN CALM SITUATION ON EGYPTIAN LINE.
SHE ALSO NOTED ISRAEL HAD TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT VIEWS AND POLICY OF
US IN MAKING SYRIAN AGREEMENT, AS ISRAEL NEEDED US SUPPORT.
DURING LATEST VISIT OF SECRETARY, ISRAEL'S NEEDS WERE DISCUSSED,
AND "CONSISTENT US AID IN FUTURE HAD NOW BEEN ASSURED BY US
PRESIDENT".
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